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NOTIFICATIONS BY GOVERNMENT

**REVENUE DEPARTMENT
(SERVICES - III)**

AMENDMENTS TO THE ANDHRA PRADESH VILLAGE REVENUE OFFICERS
SERVICES RULES 2008.

[G.O.Ms.No.417, Revenue (Services - III), 27th September, 2019.]

NOTIFICATION

In exercise of the powers conferred by the proviso to Article 309 of the Constitution of India and of all other powers hereinto enabling, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby make the following amendments to the Andhra Pradesh Village Revenue Officers Services Rules -2008 issued in G.O.Ms.No.39, Revenue (VA) Department, dated:11.01.2008 and as subsequently amended from time to time.

AMENDMENTS

In the said rules:

- i. In rule 2, under the heading “**Constitution**”, for the expression Village Revenue Officer: the expression Village Revenue Officer (Grade-I) & (Grade-II) shall be substituted.
- ii. In Rule 3,
 - (a) under the heading “**Method of Appointment**”; for the expression “Village Revenue Officer”, the expression of Village Revenue Officer (Grade-I) shall be substituted.
 - b) after item (iii), the following sub-heading: “Method of appointment of Village Revenue Officer Grade-II” shall be inserted.

- iii. In Rule (5); under the heading seniority, for the expression “the seniority of the Village Revenue Officers shall be reckoned from the date of their regular appointments as Village Revenue Officer” the following expression:

“The Seniority of the Village Revenue Officer (Grade-I) and Village Revenue Officer (Grade-II) shall be reckoned from the date of their regular appointments as Village Revenue Officer (Grade-I) and Village Revenue Officer (Grade-II) respectively. Separate seniority lists shall be maintained for each Grade” shall be substituted.

- iv. In Rule 9A: for the expression “Village Revenue Officer”, the expression “Village Revenue Officer (Grade-I) & (Grade-II)” shall be substituted.
- v. In Rule 10 : in item (b), for the expression “ Village Revenue Officer” the expression “Village Revenue Officer (Grade-I) & (Grade-II)” shall be substituted.
- vi. In Rule 11: for the expression “Village Revenue Officer”: the expression Village Revenue Officer (Grade-1) & (Grade-II) shall be substituted.
- vii. In Rule 12, in item (ii), for the expression “Village Revenue Officer”, the expression “Village Revenue Officer (Grade-1) & (Grade-II)” shall be substituted.
- viii. After Rule 13(b): the following note shall be added

“Note:- The candidates on selection and appointment by transfer/ promotion will be on probation for 2 years and will be paid Rs 15,000/- per month as consolidated pay during this period. They will be given regular scale of pay after satisfactory completion of 2 years of probation.”

- ix. In Rule 14

- a. For item (i) the following shall be substituted, namely,

“14 (1) Spouse or dependent son/daughter of deceased Village Revenue Officer Grade-I and Grade-II till such time the person holding the post of Village Revenue Officer Grade I and Grade-II will be in service upto the age of superannuation of 60 years will be considered for compassionate appointment for the post of Village Revenue Officer Grade-II provided they possess the qualification of Intermediate pass. The age limits as stipulated in Rule 12 of the A.P. State and subordinate Service Rules, 1996 shall be followed for these appointments”

- b. In item (2), for the expression “Village Revenue Officers” the expression “Village Revenue Officer (Grade-II)” shall be added.

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